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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): H. KANAI, et al

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For: DISK CONTROLLER AND METHOD OF CONTROLLING THE
CACHE

Group: 2187

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL - EXPEDITED
PROCEDURE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 14, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 14, 2004, please amend the
above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims

Remarks are included following the amendments.